

SEC. 8. That the county commissioners shall have the exclusive control of erecting and repairing the fences and gates herein provided for and the appointment of such keepers for the same as they deem proper, and are hereby granted plenary powers for that purpose, to be exercised in such manner as they deem best.

SEC. 9. That for the purpose of the next preceding section Special tax. the county commissioners may levy and collect as other taxes a special tax upon all property and polls taxable by the State and county, within the township or county which may adopt this act, and any person wilfully refusing to pay the same shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor.

SEC. 10. That any person wilfully permitting his live Live stock at large. stock to run at large within any of said counties or townships adopting this act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor.

SEC. 11. That it shall be lawful for any person to take Taking up live stock. up any live stock running at large within any township wherein this act is in force and impound the same within the township wherein said stock is taken up, and such impounder may demand fifty cents for every animal so taken up, and twenty-five cents for every head for each day such stock is kept impounded, and may retain the same, with rights to use it under proper care, until all legal charges for impounding said stock, and for damages caused by the same, are paid.

SEC. 12. That if the owner of said stock be known to such Stock impounded impounder, he shall immediately inform such owner where his stock is impounded, and if said owner shall for two days after such notice wilfully refuse or neglect to redeem his stock, then the impounder shall, after ten days' written notice, posted at three or more public places within the township where said stock is impounded, describing the same and stating place, day and hour of sale, or if the owner be unknown, after twenty days' notice in the same manner, and also at the court-house door, sell the said stock at public auction, and apply the proceeds in accordance with the